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RESPONSE TO INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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Sir:

In response to the Interview Summary dated October 9, 2008, and in which a telephone interview between the Applicants' representative Steven Wegman and Examiner Lerner on October 2, 2008 was summarized, Applicant notes that the summary provided by the Examiner is generally accurate.

Applicant would like to take this opportunity to thank the Examiner for his courtesy in conducting the above-noted interview, as well as his constructive, cooperative and helpful attitude exhibited during the above interview.

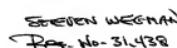
Should the Examiner have any questions or comments regarding this response, or the present application, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,
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